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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I support broadband competition because having a choice has enabled me to get a fair price for the Internet and telephone service that I use ALL DAY LONG for my small business and my personal needs. Without regional carriers like SONIC.NET, my local provider, I would be stuck with a single large company which, from my past experience, has poor customer service, slower transmission speeds, and higher prices.

I feel blessed to have such a great company to provide my Internet and telephone service, but I know that it wouldn't be possible if new regulations hinder them from investing in the future of their business.

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